DISHONEST CLERK.-Yesterday morning, a young fellow eixteen years of age, named Charles W. Phillips, was apprehended, charged with breaking open a lette and stealing therefrom a check for \$100. It seems that in December last, Mr. Samuel D. Stone called at the Marine Bank with a check for \$100 upon that institution, drawn by Messrs. McCready, Mott & Co., of this city, and requested the cashier to certify it as he desired to send it East. The check was certified, and Mr. Stone put it in an envelope and directed the prisoner to mail it. Instead of putting the letter in the Post-Office, the boy broke it open, and altering the check so as to make it payable to bearer, drew the money from the Bank. Phillips admitted his guilt. Justice Welsh committed him to prison to answer the charge.

SUDDEN DEATH .- Coroner Connery held an inquest at the house No. 223 Delancy street, on the body of Hubert Buckingham, who was taken suddenly ill after dinner on Tuesday afternoon, and died in an hour or two. A medical examination showed that death was the result of congestion of the lungs. The Jury rendered a verdict to that effect. Mr. Buckingham was 43 years of age, and a native of Dublin. He was a silversmith by trade, and fermerly resided in Centre street, but latterly he was out of employment, which fact gave him much trouble of mind.

REAL ESTATE -The following sales of real estate were made yesterday at the Merchants' Exchange by Messra, A. J. Bleecker Son & Co.:

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House & Iot, S. side 27th-st., btw. 10th & 11th avs., 25x51, \$2,550
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I large Iot, N. W. cor. 4th-av. & 25th-st., 49x75, 5,500
I lot, W. side 4th-av., btw. 25th & 30th sts., 29x75, 5,000
I lot, W. side 4th-av., btw. 25th & 30th sts., 20x75, 4,900
I lot, N. side 20th-st., 75 ft. W. 4th-av., 25x100, 5,500
I lot, S. side 20th-st., 75 ft. W. 4th-av., 20x39, 9, 3,400
House and Iot No. 105 West 46th-st., lot 18.8x100.5. 4,650

CIATION .- The Second Annual meeting and election of officers of this Association (now numbering about 400 members) was held last evening, and resulted in the choice of the following named persons for officers for the ensuing year: President, Nathaniel Fellows; First Vice-President, Bavid H. Pratt; Second Vice-President, B. F. Tenney; Third Vice-President, Geo. W. Allen; Recording Secretary, Nicholas Duff; Assistant Recording Secretary, Henry F. Tenney; Financial Secretary, Henry B. Ryder; Treasurer, George P. Hall; Directors-John H. Briggs, Isasc Merritt, Jesse Weeks, B. C. Miller and Edward Covert.

"SUNDAY OBSERVANCE." To the Editor of The N. Y. Tribune.

Sin: Your reporter has somewhat misapprehended the object of the meeting of the clergy of this city at Spingler Institute.

The clergy were invited by the Sabbath Committee composed of twenty-two of our most influential cit-izens, to meet and "consider measures for promoting "the better observance of the Christian Sabbath." No authorized exponent of the views of that Committee or of the meeting gave prominence, if they alluded at all, to "the enforcement of existing laws, or "the enactment of new and more stringent laws "for the prevention of labor, travel and amusement "on the first day of the week." On the contrary, it was stated that the existing laws were deemed adethat the main object contemplated was the correction of public sentiment and the quickening of the public conscience by the diffusion of light as to the claims of the Lord's Day, and its vital relations to the physical, the Lord's Day, and its vital relations to the physical, moral and spiritual well-being of the community, special regard being had to the resident emigrant population. The only specific measure proposed was simultaneous preaching on the subject of Sabbath claims by the clerky of the city. Nor was there any allasion, in the discussions or resolutions of the meeting, to "that mode of observing Sunday insisted upon "so strenuously by the Paritan Enthers" as the "so strenuously by the Puritan Fathers" as the standard to which we were to "return." The meeting was largely composed of pastors connected with the Referrised Dutch, Pre-byterian, Methodist, Prot-estant Episcopal, and Baptist churches, and the refer-ences to the mode of Sabbath observance to "return" to, were mainly, if not exclusively, to our own earlier

cipal history.

a word, the aim of the meeting was to promote by legitimate and prudent means—other than "the en"forcement of existing laws," or "the enactment of
"new and more stringent laws"—the due observance
of the Christian Sabbath, and to assure the excellent
Committee of laymen having this matter in charge of the best support and sympathy of the clergy in their efforts to rescue the sacred day from open and con-

efforts to rescue the sacred day not be start profanation.

The names alone of those who shared in the deliberations of the meeting—the Rev. Drs. Spring, Dewitt, Wishams, Potts, Bedell, Peck, Alexander, Holdich, Smith, Krobe, and others—ought to be a sufficient guarantee that the movement for promoting Sabbath observance can have no provincial standard, and no unwisely coercive character.

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THE RUSS PAVEMENT.

To the Editor of The N. Y. Tribune.

Siz: I beg to call the attention of the public to a plan suggested by me in 1852, for the improvement of the Ruse pavement in Broadway; namely, to drill holes, say two inches in diameter, about the same distance apart, well filled with good sand or other material, which will always form a rough and sure footing for the horses and still be a very smooth and self-adjusting surface until the stones are worn entirely through. The larger the surface to the stones, occurse the better, as that gives a more firm foundation. I have invented a steam drill, so that I can prepare the pavement as above without removing the stones, nor will it give much inconvenience to the public travei. I shall lay plans before the Board on Thursday next.

Year obediedt servant.

New York, No. 409 Broadway, Jan. 25, 1838. To the Editor of The N. Y. Tribune.

A NEGRO FOUND DEAD - Peter Figet, a colored A Neoro FOUND DEAD —Peter Figet, a colored man, was found dead in a stable in Ridge street, from which his remains were subsequently removed to his late residence, No. 88 Clinton arch, between Rivington and Delancy streets. Coroner Connery held an inquest, and a verdict of death by "pericarcitis" was returned by the Jury. Figet was 68 years of age, and a native of Virginia.

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[Advertisement.] The success that has been vouchasfed to The Pioners Patriot, Cobb's great Ledger story, dramatized for Barken's Muskum. Thousands so to witness it Every Night and on Weinersbay and Saturday Attransons. There is a perfect mania to behild it. Old and young, male and female, all are intent on seeing so famous, so patriotic, so curious, so touching a production. [Advertisement.]

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A retired clergyman, estored to health in a few days, after many years of great nervous suffering, is anxious to make known the means of cure. Will add free the precention used. Direct the Rev. John M. agrall, No. 186 Funds. R., Brocklyn.

F. S. CHANFRAU.—This eminent comedian is playing a brilliant engagement at PURDY'S NATIONAL THEATER PLAYER THAT IS A THAT IS A

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES, or Cough Lozerges, when given to young children are dissolved in water forming a Cough Syrup, which has a soothing effect, swisting ex-pectoration, and preventing an accumulation of phicam. Sold by

BROOKLYN ITEMS.

THE LEVIATHAN AND HENRY WARD BEECHER .-As the immense crowd passed out of the Athenseum in Brooklyn, on Monday evening, a relative of Senator Douglas, who was present as an attentive listener to the eloquent lecturer, said to a well-known lawyer of the City of Churches: "Look here, friend, I am in fa-'vor of sending that man (Beecher) over to England to help launch the Levisthan."

What can he do?" said the lawyer. "Why, he can draw-to beat all !

A social tea-meeting was held on Tuesday evening n the Primitive Methodist Church, Bridge street. About one hundred and fifty sat down to tea, of which they partook in a very friendly and sociable mauner. After tea, speeches were delivered by the Pastor and other gentlemen, when the meeting separated, delighted with the evening's entertainment. The proceeds go to assist the members to sustain their Paster. They are but a small church, and have to tax all their energies to meet their expenses.

ATTEMPT TO POISON TWO MEN-Yesterday afternoon Officer Griffith of the Fifth District Police arrested a man named Wm. Watts, residing in North Second street, on a charge of attempting to cause the death of two men, named Swift and Fitzpatrick, at Jamaica. Queens County, about a week since. It is alleged that a few days since, in consequence of some trouble with one or both of the above-named men, Watts went to Jamaica, and employed a boy to mix some poison in their food. The men were taken violently sick, but the physicians detecting the poison, succeeded in saving their lives. The accused was taken to Queen's County for examination. The boy was also arrested,

The Disorderly Firemen. — George Lindsay, John Roach and Jacob Worth, of Hose Company No. 2, who were arrested on Monday night by the Fifth District Police, for disorderly conduct, were examined yesterday afternoon before Justice Allen and discharged. It is understood that the matter will be brought before the Fire Commissioners for investi-

THE STATION-HOUSES.—The Police Committee of the Common Council visited the Station-Houses in the Eastern District, and the result of their investigathe Eastern District, and the result of their investiga-tions will probably be reported at the next meeting of the Board. It is to be hoped that the Fifth District Station-House and Police Court will be abandoned, as it is entirely unfit for the purpose for which it is now occupied. The School-House at the corner of Fifth and South Third streets, which is for sale, is well adopted for the entire police business of the Eastern District, with sub-stations at Greepoint and in the Sixteenth Ward. One Police Justice and Clerk could transact all the business, and by abolishing the other Court, some \$3,000 per annum could be saved.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE .- The following

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE.—The following persons were elected to represent their respective Wards in the Democratic County Committee, at the primary meetings held on Tuesday night:
First Ward, Laurence Haulon, Second Ward, Daniel Bradley;
Third Ward, James Farel; Sixth Ward, Mathew Marphy;
Fifth Ward, James Forel; Sixth Ward, Mathew Marphy;
Seventh Ward, Johnes Boyle; Tenth Ward, Daniel Green; Eleventh Ward, James Moornwell; Tweith Ward, Daniel Green; Eleventh Ward, Johnes M. Conwell; Tweith Ward, Daniel Green; Eleventh Ward, John Tucker; Fourteenth Ward, John Linskey; Fifteenth Ward, Francis Swift; Sixteenth Ward, Thomas Dinham; Ninetenth Ward, James Tiner.

The contest was animated, and in some Wards several tickets claim to be elected.

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Passing a Counterpeit Bill .- Andrew J. Hull was brought before Justice Cornwell, yesterday, on the complaint of E. H. Gruger, grocer, corner of Put-nam avenue and Flatbush road, who charged him with passing accounterfeit bill on the Lee Bank, Mass. in payment for groceries. Hull promised to give good money in return, but, getting sick, was unable to do so. Kruger, getting tired of waiting, made complaint. The accused was held for trial.

DEFRAUDING THE POOR .- During the Winter . Superintendents of the Poors.—During the Winter sea-son there are many applications at the office of the Superintendents of the Poor for coal by those in indi-gent circumstances. The Superintendents order a quarter or half tun to a family at a time, but it appears that sometimes no more than half the weight ordered is received. If a half tun is ordered it diminishes to about a quarter of a tun between the about a quarter of a tun between the coal-yards and the place of destination. The vuperintendents or-dered a half tun to the house of a poor woman at No. 406 Hudson avenue on Monday, but a neighbor who took an interest in the matter found that only a quar-ter tun had been sent. The Superintendents would do well to inquire into these things

ATTEMPT TO ROB A LADY.—During the early part of Monday evening a lady residing in Willoughby street was stopped by two fellows in Jay street, while on her way home from a neighbor's house. One of them wasked before, and the other remained behind, when suddenly the one is advance stopped and seized her by the arm, at the same time making a grab for the watch chain on her person. She cried out at the top of her voice, and the thieves made a hasty retreat without accomplishing their object.

THE TRUART INSTITUTION.—A well-dressed little boy, named Francis L. Gaskill, was brought before Justice Voorhies yesterday on the complaint of his mother, who stated that she was unable to manage him, and wished him taken care of. He was accordingly placed in charge of Officer West, and taken to the Truant Institution at Flatbush.

ROBBING A TILL.—Lawrence Finn was detected yesterday in robbing the till of the drug store No. 57 Myrle avenue. The clerk was in the back room at the time, and his attention being attracted by the barking of a dog, came out and found Fina behind the counter. He had taken about three dollars. Justice Cornwell committed the accused for examination

DISCHARGED FROM CUSTODY. - John Hawkins charged with robbing the room of L. Blossom at the Mansion House, on the 6th of January last, was brought before Justice Culver on habeas corpus yesterday, and discharged from custody, there being no

VIOLATION OF ORDINANCES.—The returns of Inspectors Strang and Corr show that they made 63 arrests for violations of ordinances in November and December, and paid over into the City Treasury about \$150

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT-SPECIAL TERM-JAN. 27.-Before Judge IN THE MATTER OF THE HABEAS CORPUS TO BRING UP This case was continued at 12 m.

Judge Sutherland stated that since the Court had Judge Sutherland stated that since the Court had adjourned yesterday he had come to the conclusion that be ought to grant an attachment against Mrs. Wright unless she produced Miss Hawley in Court. If the relator convinced the Court that the return was not full, it was its outy to issue this attachment.

Mr. Busteed immediately and emphatically agreed to produce the vount indv.

to produce the young lady.

Indge Barbour hoped that the examination would not be in public, before the large cowd assembled in the Court.

Mr. Busteed claimed that he represented the lady, and that she was ready and willing to appear and prove by her own words that her mother exercised no testraint over her, but that the refusal to go with Mr. Taylor was entirely her own wish. She had ro hesitation to come here, and he (Mr. Busteed), though it was not his desire that she should be so brought before the public, yet felt it his duty to produce her new, it in no other way could be convence the Court that she was acting of her own free will.

Mr. Barbeur opposed her production in Court in so public a way, and requested the Judge to make an order that to more persons should be admitted to crowd the Court-room. Mr. Busteed claimed that he represented the lady,

Mrs. Wright a

Wright and her daughter were then sent for

return is traversed, and upon oral testimony given on the part of the relator, the Court is led to believe that the return is not true—that is, that the respondent does exercise restraint over the prisoner; an attackment is, therefore, issued to punish the respondent for a contempt in making a false return. Mr. Bustaed then claimed that he had a right to call a witness to prove that the return is true, and that there is no restraint. That witness was to be Miss Hawley herself. Judge Barbour claimed that the mother should be called to prove the truth of the return and purge herself from contempt, and that she was the only proper letton to be called.

Person to be called.
The Court decided to allow Miss Hawley to be ex-

To this Judge Barbour again objected, on the ground that the witness had been for the last To this Judge Bar your again objected, on the ground that the witness had been for the last ten days under the influence of the respondent, and probably was ignorant of her rights as a wife. If she was to be examined, she ought at least to be told by the Court of her rights, and freed from any poisoning of her mind and influence to which she may have been subjected direct the marginary.

rice the marriage.

Mr. Busteed expressed himself disgusted with such a properition. The witness knows the obligation of an oath, and if she is of sufficient discretion to assert to a marriage she is certainly competent to appear now as a witness and make what explanations she

Miss Hawley had been previously called, but during this discussion had retired. She was then again called, and took her seat by the side of the Judge. She is very young looking and of a quite pleasing appear-

The Court stated at the outset that Miss Hawley be allowed to go whichever way and wit whom she desired.

The Court thought she ought not to be examined as a witness touching the question of the attachment, but for the information of the Court as to her real wishes in this matter. She was therefore not

worn.
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Witness then testified as follows, in a low tone of voice:

I know the nature of this proceeding: I suppose I was married to Mr. Taylor, if the person who performed the ceremeny was a clergyman. I was married voluntarily, and loved Mr. Taylor at that time; on the Menday tellowing the marriage, which took place on Saturday, I found out Mr. Taylor's true character, and became unwilling to go with him or live with him; I do not wish to say whether my mether told me of Mr. Taylor's character; others have told me; what I heard is the reason why I do not wish to live with him: I have also some private reasons of my own; when my mother ordered Mr. Taylor to leave the house, I do not think she knew of the marriage; she had told him the same thing before; on leave the house. I do not think she knew of the marriage; she had told him the same thing before; on Monday morning I felt that I did not wish to live with him; my mother found out our marriage by Mr. Taylor's actions; on Monday morning she went down to my brother's store to learn from him if I was really married; I went there, too, and it was there suggested that I should go into the country for a few days: I had previously said I did not wish to go with Mr. Taylor; I drave to the station, went into the country about 10 miles from New-York; mother went with me; she stayed a day or two: I remained three or four days, then came back, and have been staying with a lady, a friend of mine; my mother has been to the bouse twice since, but not to see me; she has never given me any orders as to where I may or has never given me any orders as to where I may or may not go; I have not been out of the house since; I came from the country because I did not wish to be in-sulted; this morning I have been at Mr. Busteed's of-

By the Court—Do you know what power marriage gives the husband over the person and property of his wife—that he has a right to her society?

has whe—that he has a right to her society?

A. I do.
Q. What is that flower?

A. I do not wish to say.
Q. Do you refuse to live with your busband because you are afraid of your mother, or her disapproval?

A. I am afraid of no one; beside what I have heard A. I am airaid of no one; beside what I have heard against Mr. Taylor's character, there are reasons of my own why I do not wish to live with him; I do not wish to tell what they are; I have property of my own; I am to have possession of it when I am of age; my right to the possession does not depend on my marriage, and my mother has no control over it; I suppose I should not have thought of going to my brother's store on the Monday after the marriage, had not my mother suggested it; but she did not order me to go.

Mr. Barbour proposed that the lady should have an opportunity to speak with Mr. Taylor either in pri-vate or in the presence of the Court. This might have the effect to remove any unjust prejudice against him if any existed.

The Court, however, did not follow out the sugges

(By the Court to witness.)—I wish you to understand that, if you wish to go with your busband, the whole power of the law will be exerted to enable you to do so, and to remain with him a sainst all opposition

of your friends or any other persons.

(By the Court.)—Suppose I had the power to command you to go with your husbind, and I should make such an order, would it be agreeable to you!

A. No, it would not.
Q. Do you wish to see Mr. Taylor, to talk with him, or to write to him, if you thought you could do so without the knowledge of your mother?

A. No, Sir.
Q. Would you like him to write to you? Perhaps he can explain some of the fil stories you have heard against him.

A. I do not wish him to write to me; I wish to go

to my mother.

The Judge here ended the examination, considering it evident that the young lady wished to go with her mother rather than her husband. Miss Hawley, or Mrs. Taylor, then retired into the

declared to be discharged. During the examination of the lady, Mr. Taylor stood facing her and carnestly endeavoring to catch her eye. She, however, did not look at him.

John A. C. Grayagt, Illinois Central Railroad Co. In the matter of the application of Sophia Beach.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT - JAN. 27. - Before
Judge BETTS.
SOTICE TO THE BAR.

The Court ordered the following :ules to be adopted

rovisionally: On the first day of the term, the calendar of admi-On the first day of the term, the calendar of admiralty causes, also including issues upon pleadings alone in civil and criminal cases, will be called in order, for the purpose of setting down causes for the day calendar, and any cause may be then set down for any day of the first three weeks of the term which may be agreed upon by the parties, taking on the day calendar its relative order on the general calendar.

No more than ten causes will be set down on any one day.

one day. Each day calendar shall be made up, first of Each day calendar shall be made up, first of privileged and act-down causes not yet reached in the order of their positions on the general calendar; next of the causes set down for that day, in the order of their issues; then of causes from the general calender sufficient to make ten causes in all.

Set-down causes postponed at the instance of either party for cause, when called, or not moved for hearing in their places, will go to the foot of the calendar for the teart of the cart called in that order after the

in their places, will go to the root of the calculation the term, to be next called in that order after the causes preceding them have all been called.

The last week of each term (succeeding the next Eebruary term) is assigned to Jury causes, civil and criminal; but for special causes, shown at the opening of the term, a Jury may be called for hearing cases at an earlier day in the term.

COURT OF OYER AND TERMINER-JAN. 27. - Before Judge INGRAHAM. At the opening of Court this morning, Mr. Clinton rose and said that when a proposition was made on Monday last, in reference to Maurice O'Connel putting Mondsy last, in reference to Maurice O'Connel putting in a plea of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree, he consulted with his client, as well as with the father and friends of his client, as to the legal effect of pursuing that course, and with their assent that plea was put in and received: but it subsequently appeared that the friends of the prisoner misunderstood the matter—that the proposition was to place the prisoner on trial for manslaughter in the first degree. Under these circumstances, he moved that the prisoner have leave to withdraw his plea and be placed on trial.

Ex-Judge Whiting (officiating for District-Attorney Sweetey) in reply remarked that the granting of the motion rested entirely with the Court. He, however, had no recollection of making any proposition on the part of the prosecution of the kind referred to by Mr. Clinton. There had been some conversations on the subject, in the course of which he (Judge Whiting) advised such a plan.

He thought the course (Mr. Clinton) was of full age and of good practice, and knew what he was the standarder full conversation with the prisoner

He thought the coursel (Mr. Clinton) was of ful-age and of good practice, and knew what he was about, and after full conversation with the prisoner and his friends, the plea was put in. The coursel for the presecution had no objection to this course, but should ask the Jury for a conviction of the highest crime the testimony would permit, and he trusted that their verdict would not place the prisoner in a worse condition than did the clemency of the Court. The Court doubted the propriety of allowing the withdrawal of a pien, unless something was shown to convince him of the incocence of the prisoner, yet, as the prosecution made no objection, his Honor had note.

Mrs. Wright and her daughter were then sent for and took their seats in the Judge's private room until they should be called into Court.

Mr. Busteed then stated what he understood to be the position of the case, as follows:

A writ is issued and a return made to it, denying the constody of the prisoner by the respondent. That

accessories to murder. There was also this difficulty Toole would have the opportunity to hear the evidence, and would, if O'Connel was convicted, stand by his plea, and if acquitted would, of course, withdraw his plea. The prosecution, therefore, objected to O'Connel withdrawing his plea unless Toole also

ithdrew his.
The Judge said that he should allow Mr. Clinton un-The Judge said that he should allow Mr. Clinton un-til to-morrow merning to make the same unotion in re-gard to Toole, when, if not then made, he should hold the prisoners to the plea which had been put in on Mr. Clinton then announced that he was ready in the case of O Connel, and the Clerk commenced to

the case of O commen, and the panel of jurors be-impanied a Jury.

Shortly after 3 o'clock p. m. the panel of jurors be-came exhausted, rendering it necessary for the Court to adjourn with an order for a tew panel of fifty to be in attendance to morrow inrors surmoned, to be in attendance to morrow [Thursday] morning. Of the 99 persons called, 10 were absent, and 80 answered to their names and ere examined. Of these, 66 were challenged for cause, 12 were peremptorily challenged, and the following eleven gentlemen were sworn as jurors to try

the case.

Junius J. Johnston, retired merchant, No. 86 Sixth avecure, Junius J. Johnston, retired merchant, No. 86 Sixth avecure James R. Tayler, machiniat, No. 29 Mangin street; John Molledian, boarding-house keeper, No. 63 Market street; Fletcher Harper, in. editor. West Twenty-second street; Robert Tayler, plasterer. West Twenty-sinth street; Philo Richardson, straintoner, No. 177 Eighth avenue; Charles F. Stephenson, clerk, No. 63 Beaver street; David Griffithe, merchant, No. 317 Sixth avenue; James Eadie, grocer, No. 375 Washington street; Parick Noonas, storage, No. 119 Greenwich street.

As the Court was about to adjourn, Mr. Richardson rose and inquired whether the prisoner was about to As the court was acoust to apour, are Accurated to the tree for his life, and on being answered in the affirmative, said that he had conscientious scruples against sitting as a juror in such cases. Further section was, deferred in the matter until to-morrow morning, when a juror will most probably be substituted for him, beside making up the deficiency.

SUPERIOR COURT-Special TERM.-Jan. 27.-Before

Walter Hicks agt. Edward Payson,-Bail reduced

KINGS COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT-Jan. 27 .- Before Judge TRIAL OF PARTIES FOR VIOLATING THE SUNDAY LIQUOR LAW.
A POLICEMAN TESTIFIES THAT LAGER-BEER IS INTOX-

A POLICEMAN TESTIFIES THAT LAGER-BEER IS INTOXICATING. FROM PERSONAL EXPERIENCE—THE JURY ENDECIDED.

A number of persons charged with selling liquor on Sudday, in violation of the 21st section of the Metropolitan Police law, were placed on trial in this Court yesterday. In most of the cases the evidence was plain, and with one exception they were all found guilty, and will be subjected to a penalty of \$50 each. The following are the names of those convicted: John Langstaff, John Bracken, Henry Russell, Charles Swein, Henry Gerding, John Horan, Frederick Heilling ale or other intoxicating liquors.

Henry Hamm, who keeps a lager beer saloon, was tried on the same charge, and the District Attorney directed his efforts in attempting to prove that lager beer was an intoxicating drink. A paper from Prof. Chilton was admitted in evidence, in which he states that the lager beer, as manufactured in New-York, contains 4 per cent of alcohol, but does not speak of its intoxicating properties.

The statement of a physician, who had analyzed lager as it was manufactured in Germany, was also admitted which showed that it contained 4 or 5 per

The statement of a physician, who had analyzed alager as it was manufactured in Germany, was also admitted, which showed that it contained 4 or 5 per cent of acid, but that it was not intoxicating.

Mr. E. T. Morehouse testifid that he had been present in parties where lager beer was drank, and it made them lively, but not intoxicated, as would have been the effect had they drank other liquor. He knew of one man who, he thought, got drank on lager beer exclusively.

one man who, he thought, got drunk on lager beer exclusively.

Policeman Stoothoff testified that he had drank lager beer ard it made him walk pretty crocked. He could not tell the effect on others, but so far as he himself was concerned, he had experienced its intoxicating properties. About a mouth ago he was with a party in New-York, and after drinking some eight or ten glasses found his legs had become so weak as to compel him to hire b cerriage in order to get home.

Judge Strong, in charging the Jury, said that the question to be decided was whether lager beer was an intoxicating drink—whether it had that effect upon those who drank it moderately as a beverage, or whother it required enormous quantities to bring about that result. It might be exhibitarating on some people, the same as tea and coffee, and yet not come within the meaning of the law as an intoxicating drink. The Jury must take a common-sense view of

drink. The Jury must take a common-sense view of the subject, and bring in a verdict accordingly. The Jury being unable to decide whether lager beer was or was not an intoxicating drink, were dis-

e District-Attorney stated that he would be pre-

pared to try the case again to-day.
William H. Erkenbrack agt John Friend.
ACTION FOR DAMAGES ABBIDG OUT OF AN ASSA
AND FOR FALSE ARREST AND IMPRISONMENT. ACTION FOR DAMAGES ARREST AND IMPRISONMENT.

The defendant is a constable, and also keeps a hotel at Sheepshoad Bay, which is attended by his sons. On the evening of the 18th July last, plaintiff, with another man and tweepsomen, stopped there and called for refreshments, which were provided. In payment be gave three \$\frac{1}{2}\$ bills on the Saratoga Back. Friend came home shortly after, and examining the bills rhought they were counterfelt. He got into his wagon, and overtaking plaintiff on the road accompanied him to Brooklys. On arriving at the City Hall he toak plaintiff into custedy. Some resistance was the red ad the constable struck him. The plaintiff was taken into the First District Station-House, where the matter was compremised. It was proved on the tital that the bills were geomine the assault was also shown, and the Jury tendered a verdict of \$20\$ in favor of plaintiff.

132, 130, 51, Supreme Court-Special Term.-Nos. 355, 366, 157, 356, 370, 81, 330, 236, 291.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.—Nos. 355, 366, 187, 389, 370, 81, 380, 236, 291.

SUPERIOR COURT.—Nos. 26, 27, 28, 29, 418, 437, 443, 447, 453, 181, 468, 470, 472, 473, 411, 464, 116, 415, 484, 486, 487, 486, 265, 664, 497, 501, 592, 503, 304, 507, 500, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 518, 521, 522, 523, 524, 575, 566.

BROOKLYN CITY COURT CALENDAR.—Jan. 28.—Nos. 35, 20, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 38, 40, 41, 46, 47, 49, 50, 52.

MARKIED.

LAMBERT-GALE-In this city, on Tuesday, Jan. 26, by the Rev. Mancius S. Hutton, Mr. Samuel A. Lambert to Miss Mary Rev. Mancius S. Hung. A. Gale, all of this city. Newton, Sussex Co., N. J., papers please copy.

DIED.

BRADY—On Tuesday, Jan. 25, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Patrick Divine, in Hudson City, N. J., Mrs. Ann Brady, aged 50 years. EROWN—On Tuesday evening, Jan. 26, William J. Brown, in the 55d year of his age.

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The friends and relatives of the family, and of his brothers, Edward and Jameson D. Brown, and his brothers-blaw, George Kitching and William Rt. Loudon, are respectfully invited to attend be funeral, from his late residence. No. 123 Waverley place, this (Thursday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, without further nyitation.

invitation.

ELONDELL.—Suddenly, or Wednesday, Jan. 27, Frederick, infant child of Charles and Eliza F. Biondell, aged 2 years.

The friends and resatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the function to day, at 10 clock p. m., from his late residence, No. 150 West Thirteenth atreet. His remains will be below to Gracewood in

to a term in the west Thirteenth street. His remains was a taken to Greenword.

COGGESHALL—On Wednesday morning, Jan. 27. George Walter, son of George D. Coggeshall, in the 15th year of his age. The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral at the Friends' Meeting House, Westchester Village, this (Thursday) morning, Jan. 28, at 11] colock. The Harlem train from Twenty-sixth street, at 2 s. m., atops at Mott Haven depot, where conveyance will be found for Westchester.

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COTTER—At No. 213 Mott street, on Tuesday, Jan. 26, John Cotter, infant son of James and Margaret Cotter, aged 13 months and 2 days.

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COE—On Tuesday morning, Jan. 25, Sarah, widow of the late William S. Coe, aged 67 years.

The relatives ard friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, No. 52 East Fifteenth street, on Friday, at 2 o'clock p. m.

E VENS—At No. 26 West Nineteenth street, on Tuesday, Jan. 25, of consumption Patrick Joseph Evens, the beloved son of Junes Evens and Margaret Manmion.

FORRESTER—On Wednesday evening, Jan. 27, Oliver M., cidest son of Hirsm M and Sarah H. Forrester, aged 15 years, I month and 25 days.

Funeral services at the residence of his father. No. 134 West, Twenty-first street, this (Thursday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The remains will be taken to White Plains for interment on Friday morning.

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HENRY—On Tuesday evening, Jan. 26, Maria Anne, wife of Michael Henry.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from her late residence. No. 15 Warren place (Charles street), or Friday, 25th inst, at 2 o'clock p. m., without further invitation. without further incitation,

AWF—On Wedre obey morning, Jan. 27, J. H. Hobart Haws,
in the 49th year of his age,
we time of his funccia will be announced to morrow.

BDAN—On Wednesday morning, Jan. 27, Mrs. Arabella
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KELLY—At No. 227 East Twelfth street, on Livesday morning after a short are pointful illness. Ann Kelly, wife of the late James Kelly, e.g. d 30 years.

MESEROLE—At Newtywn, Long Island, on Tuesday morning, Jam. 35, Mr. Peter A. Meserole, aged 37 years, I morth and I day. Jam. 35, Mr. Peter A. Meserole, aged 37 years, I morth and I day. His relatives and festude are respectfully invited to attend his funeral on Francy. 28th inst, at 1 o'clock p. m., from the Reformed Dutch Church of New town, without further invitation, McMULLAN—At No. 7 Manihattan street, on Tuesday, Jan. 23, Mary, wife of Joseph McMullan, aged 35 years, you and Canaday, Jan. 26, Mr. McLlafferty, one Clafferty town, 7 months and 20 days.

STEWART—In this city, on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at his residence, No. 73 West Twentieth street, John Six want, a native of Pertheshire. Sootland, in the 61st year of his age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral on Thursday, Jan. 28, at 2 o'clock p. m.

SCHILLING—At Hastings upon Hedson, on Tuesday morning, Jun. 26, of disease of the beart, Hertmann, only son of Hermann and Caroline M. Schilling, aged 18 years, 3 months and 22 days.

PICER. At No. 379 Bleccker street, on Tuesday, Jan. 23, Henry Miller, A. Hearth and Schilling, aged 18 years, 3 months and 22 days.

eruse on Monday. Jan. 25, Willie Dayton, only child of William D. and Marianne Swart, acrd 10 works. The KER On The stay in orading Jan. 25, Ann Maria, wife of John C. Techer, and daughter of Jacob Hoppuch, acrd 39 year. The minitives and friends of the family, and of her father, aw respectfully invited to attend her funeral, without further invitation, from her late redicence. No. 30 West Fourteenth street on Thorseay afternoon at 2 o'clock. Her remains will be taken to Green wood for intermus.

WILLIAMS-At Clifton, States Island, on Montay Jan. 25. Lamout Williams, formerly of Cranston, Rhode Island.

A MEMORIAL.

GEORGE HAWS. DIED DECEMBER 4. 1827. In the shadow of the twilight I am sitting all alone. Dreaming sadily of the hours that my happier life hath known— Hours so seldom freely mingled in the lives of selfsh men. That were hallowed by a presence Farth can never know again. He is gone-and oh! how lenely has the world now grown to be, Without him, the good and gratle, who was all the world to m All its visions are departed, all its easiles are reduced.

For "the golden bowl is broken;" and "the silver chord is loosed. Common errors of existence, by his virtues rendered dim, Seem to ballow, all the deeper, my remembrances of him. As I trace on Mem'ry's tablet the pure workings of God's plan. In the spirit of the angel and the nature of the man. He was noble in each action, in the feelings of his mind-In effection he was sen'rous, and to all men he was kind. With a heart estranged to anger, that had never coldness known.

He was tender to the stranger—more than tender to his own. In the love of those around bim, by his purer love inspired, He had more than wealth could buy him, it was all that he desired: Proud indeed was he to own them, they were each his constant

In that circle he was cherished, and his heart was ever the

But in many a humble dwelling, when the Christmas season came There were thoughtful spirits saddened at the mentio

name, While the memory of his bounty brought the half-unconscious tear;
For the poor man's friend was sleeping with the fast-declining

In life's busy scenes around him he was happy and content If each man approved his conduct—understood him as he meant Ever satisfied with little, if that little freely came So be died without a struggle—not a sqrrow, not a sigh— Dearly loved, and sadly wept for, as the gregtest seldom die

Floating softly from existence, on a calm unruffled wave. No man's wrong to leave behind him, naught but blessings on h New-York, Jan. 27, 1858.

COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

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WEDNESDAY, Jan. 27-P. M. Stocks were very strong to-day, with a fair degree of activity in leading descriptions. In Bonds, which still claim prominence in the operations, the movement vas large but quite irregular. Missouris were steady, and at the First Board sold at 85, but transactions were not up to the average daily sales. Illinois Centrals were active at a sliding scale of prices, opening at 96, but bringing up at 95 with an over supply at the quotation. Michigan Central New Loans wer firm at 94. The most decided change was in La Crosse Land Grants, which broke down to 43, and were very heavy. This sudden depression was in consequence of apprehended trouble in removing the injunction from the Land Grant issue, which it was supposed had been definitely arranged, but which now threatens to interrupt the payment of coupons and the completion of the work. In shares the transactions at the First Board were largest in Reading, which, after touching 57, was strongly rallied by a leading operator, and was in de-mand at 574 before the adjournment. New-York Central was very firm, and had an upward tendency. Erie, upon the strength of larger earnings, was quit firm at 21%. Illinois Central sold down to 94 at the first call, but was up again to 95 before the close. Rock Island vibrated between 664 and 67, but was much firmer than yesterday. Galena was in demand at 741, with but moderate sales. It is stated that these two roads, in common with others at the West, will show much better earnings than re cently reported, and probably a gain upon the net amount of earnings in January, 1857. Michigan Southern and Toledo were both comparatively dull, and the former | P cent lower. Cumberland Coal hangs at about 15, the clique holding back, though evidently not through with the movement, but desirous of getting the street short.

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At the Second Board, the market was still better, and some of the leading stocks quite buoyant. New-York Central went up to 812, Rock Island to 674, and Erie was in demand at 21; w 22. Missouri Bonds were active at unchanged quotations, but Illinois Central fell off to 94. La Crosse Land Grants underwent a further decline of 1 P cent, and were finally offered after the adjournment at 40. The stock, however, was a fraction better, after selling down to 104, closing at 101 bid. The latest prices in the street were for Reading, 574 bid; Erie, 214; New-York Central, 814; Rock Island, 673; Galena, 741; Toledo, 414, &c. There was not much excitement in movements at either segsion of the Board, but with a few exceptions there was an appearance of steadiness and strength in the great bulk of the stocks dealt in.

There was no business doing in Foreign Exchange

to-day, but rates were well sustained.

Freights are more active, but without change in rates. To Liverpool: 2,400 bbls. Flour at 1s. 11d. 1s. 11id.; 9 000 bush. Grain at 4id.; 600 bales Cotton at 3-16d.; 800 boxes Bacon at 20s.; 250 boxes Cheese at 20s.; 150 bbls. Crude Turpentine at 2s. To Londer: 500 bbls. Rosin at 2s. 6d.; 60 tes. Pork Middles at 5s.; 50 casks do. at 7s.; 10,000 % Tobacco at 18d. ₽ 100 fb; 15 tes. Pork at 6s.; 500 boxes Cheese at 35s.; 125 bales Bacon at 25s.; 70 bbls. Lard at 25e. To Rotterdam; 75 bbls. Ashes at 25s. The ship Francis P. Sage to Australia, on private terms.

The business of the Sub-Treasury was: Receipts \$167,620 23-from Customs \$74,000; Paymente, 183,617 90; Belance, \$3,065,294 73. The eteamer from Beston, to-day, took \$910,400 is

specie; an unusually large shipment from that port Of this amount, all but about \$50,000 went from this

Albert H. Nicolay's regular daily auction sale of

stocks and bonds will take place to-morrow (Thursday), at 12; o'cleck, at the Merchaets' Exchange. S. Draper's regular 'daily auction sale of bonds and

stocks will take place to-morrow (Thursday), at 124 o'c'cck, at the Merchants' Exchange. The Lenex Five Insurance Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent, payable on the let of February. The Atlantic and St. Lawrence Rail-

road, a semi-annual dividend of three dollars per share, payably February 1. The Metropolitan certificates held by the Banks are

now reduced to \$2,400,000, The bills of the St. Albans Bank, Vermont, are redeemed at the Suffolk Back, Boston, on the same terms

as other Eastern currency. The amendments to the charter of the Mechanics Barking Association, proposed at the meeting of stockholders to-day, are in effect, to reduce the capital of the bank to \$316,660 (shares \$12.50 each), with power to increase the amount again if desired; to strike out the sixth article, which requires 40 per cent of the capital to be invested in Government, State or city stocks, or in bonds and mortgages; to reduce the number of Directors from twenty to eighteen, abandon irg the present division into three classes. All the amendments to the articles of association to be recom mended by a two-third vote of the Directors, sad adopted by a three-fourths vote of the shareholders, a special meeting to be held for the purpose. There is

apparently no opposition to these amends The annual statement of the Atlantic Mutual Insur ance Company for 1857 will show the scrip dividend to be equal to 30 P cent. One-half the scrip of 1856 will be paid, and 6 P cent cash on all the old scrip. The surplus of the Company will cuable the mane

ment to add 50 P cent to the permanent working capital, increasing it from \$1,150,000 to \$1,750,000. The following sales were made at auction this day

by A. B. Muller:

Also by S. Desper: Also by S. Draper:

\$5.000 Milwookee City 7s. Int. added. 50 \$40
4.000 Missouri 6s. Int. added. 85
2.000 California 7s. Int. added. 85
2.000 California 7s. Int. added. 17
4.000 La Grosse and Milwaukee RR. 7s. Int. added. 17
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25 shares Natiouel Bank stock. 103
6 shares New World Fire Insurance Company. 102
10 shares Metropolitsu Fire Insurance Company. 102
10 shares Shee and Leesther Back. 102
20 shares Brevoort Fire Insurance Company. 45
10 shares Harnover Bata. 52
5 shares Pacific Mail Steamship Company. 67
10 shares Brooklyn Athenaum and Reading Room. 40
200 shares Harlem Railroad. 61
50 shares Herlem Railroad. 111
And the following by A. H. Nicolay: And the following by A. H. Nicolay:

\$5,000 Detroit and Milwaukee R R. 7s. interest added.

\$2,000 Milwaukee City 7s. interest added.

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\$13,000 Terre Hante and Alton R R. 10s. interest added.

\$1,000 Terre Hante and Alton R R. 10s. interest added.

\$3,000 Mineral Point Railroad Is, interest added.

\$5,000 Mineral Point Railroad Is, interest added.

\$5,000 California 7s. interest added.

\$5,000 Hannibal and St. Josephs R R. 7s. interest added.

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\$1,000 Virginia And the following by A. H. Nicolay :

Mr. Cisco received \$50,000 of the new Treasury notes from Washington to-day and disposed of them. In the street they are selling at par at P cent dis-

Up to Monday 248 notes of the denomination of \$1,000, and 119 notes of the denomination of \$500, have been issued to satisfy land warrants; 288 of the \$1,000 notes, and 123 of the \$5,000 notes, have been taken by private individuals. Army and navy warrants to the smount of \$2,500,600 are now on the Treasurer's table, to satisfy which Treasury notes will have to be employed. It is estimated that by the end of next week notes to the amount of \$3,000,000 will have to be issued.

Messrs. Wilmerding & Mount had a large sale today of clothiers goods, which drew a full company. The goods on the whole were not very desirable, and sold as well as could have been expected. The Directors of the Chicago and Rock Island Road

hold a meeting to-morrow (Thursday) in this city, and will consider, among other topics, the somewhat remarkable action of Mr. Flagg in issuing his pamphlet. Mr. George D. Phelps, formerly President of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, has issued a review of the Report of the Committee of Investigation, in which he proposes to show, to use his own terms, "that the Committee have heaped upon him undeserved and unjust censure, and that the action of the Committee has prove more detrimental to the interests of the stockholder "more detrimental to the interests of the stockholders "and the public than the conduct of those officers and managers of whom he complained." The pamphet is very voluminous, and we think would be highly interesting to those concerned.

The review, Mr. Phelps says, was prepared for circulation several days since, but upor the suggestion that its publication might be construed to indicate a design to influence the approaching election, he withheld it publicated as.

held it until to-day.

The Albany Evening Journal says:

It is a remarkable fact that the amount of paper money now in circulation, issued by the banks of this State, is absolutely less than it was twenty years up. The actual figures, as they appear in the reports of the banks at the Department, are as follows: January 1, 1837—Circulation. \$24,198,000
December 26, 1857—Circulation. 23,899,964

show an increase—equally illustrating the sound wealth of the State:

\$ 22,756,421

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Dela ware, Lackswanns and Western Railroad Company, held on the 26th inst., the following gentlemen wer elected as officers and managers for the ensuing year: President-Chris opher R. Robert. Treasurer-Wilisam E. Warren. Secretary-Andrew J. Odell. Manngers-Drake Mills, John J. Phelps, William E. Dodge, Moses Taylor, George Bulkley, George W. Scrapton, John I. Blair, Christopher R. Robert, Hon y Young, Charles H. Marshall, Samuel L. Mitchill. Rufus R. Graves, David Hoadley, Robert L. Stuart.

Increase.....

The California mails have arrived by the Moses Taylor, which ship brings \$1,565,779 in gold from Sas Francisco and Aspinwall. There is no commercial news of much importance. Business was quite dull, and money on merchandise 2@2| P cent P month. The export of Gold, &c., during the year 1857 was, by steamer:

To New-York ... \$35,317,778 20| To New-Orleans ... \$243,000 00
To London ... 9,255,698 30| To Havana ... 102,698 60
To Fanana ... 410,228 77|
Total steamer shipment for 1857 ... 845,566,502 77
Total steamer shipment for 1856 ... 48,005,798 65 And by sailing vessels:

Decrease in 1857.....

Excess in 1857, Saaks...... 5,578 The following is a statement of gold and ailver ingote